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SUMMER SNAP SHOTS.

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Comings and Goings in the Social World. An Unsuppressed Record of Local Happenings—Accidents and Incidents of the Week Now Closing.

The high school opens Monday next.

Frank Armstrong of Boonville was in town Monday.

The recorder's fees for the month of July were $155.35.

The Republican county convention meets in Point Arena today.

Charles Mannon leaves for San Francisco Monday to enter Hastings law college.

Miss Pearl Bransford of Point Arena is visiting friends and relatives in this city.

Jerry Lierly was down from his Sanhedrim home the early part of the week.

P. Rothermel, the wellknown coast lumberman, was in town during the week.

Joseph Golbert of Mendocino returned home Saturday last after a week's visit here.

H. A. Weller, John Martin and Charles Weller of Fort Bragg were in this city last week.

Mendocino county exported 7,260,703 feet of lumber and 96,026 railroad ties last month.

Walter Linforth, a San Francisco attorney, has been spending a few days in this city.

A. A. Tinker, formerly a typo of this city, has opened a confectionery store in Lakeport.

L. Lobree and wife, Lucian Lobree and Miss Sara Hofman are visiting friends in Middleton.

Free Parker, Ed Hatch and Jim Laughlin spent a couple of weeks hunting on Sanhedrim.

E. M. Kister has secured the contract for carrying the daily mail from this city to Talmage.

Ed P. Lewis has returned home after a month's vacation in San Francisco, Santa Rosa and Largo.

H. F. Sawyers and Miss Daisy Brewer, both of this city, were married Sunday last by L. S. Sullivan.

Miss Amelia Moreno of Tucson, Arizona, was up on a visit to N. D. Cleveland and family during the week.

Rev. O. S. Barnum pastor of the Presbyterian church left for a month's vacation at Pacific Grove.

Mrs. R. M. Patton was granted a divorce from her husband, H. D. Patton, Monday last on the grounds of cruelty.

Homer Brown of San Francisco and George Waters and Clyde Kister of this city are hunting in Long valley.

Henry Barker sent 152 head of beef cattle down to the Western Meat company at San Francisco Tuesday.

Judge Dougherty of Santa Rosa came up Monday and will spend two weeks hunting and fishing in northern Mendocino.

J. C. Ruddock was in San Francisco Saturday last. He went down to purchase a pumping plant for the Mendocino state hospital.

The local chapter of the Eastern Star gave a banquet Monday night which was thoroughly enjoyed by a large number of members.

Sheriff Smith, District Attorney Sturtevant and Stenographer William Held have been on the coast during the week on legal business.

Emmet Seawell, district attorney of Sonoma county, returned from a deer hunt in northern Mendocino the early part of the week.

Archille Venture and Miss Carolina Bartolomei, both of Echo, were married in this city Saturday last by L. S. Sullivan, justice of the peace.

Misses Lily Oppenlander and Elsie Jones, and Ilor Oppenlander of Comptche were in this city Sunday last. They were accompanied by Miss Miles of San Francisco.

Robert McKinley has purchased the Court House Exchange saloon, in the Ukiah house, and is daily greeting many oldtime friends, who are certain of a hearty welcome.

Mrs. Eliza Underhill of Butte county is up on a visit to her son, E. M. Kister, whom she had not seen for over nine years. Mrs. L. N. McKinney, mother of Mrs. E. M. Kister, who lives in San Francisco, is also up on a visit to her daughter.

Charles Hosch of Bell Springs was down on a business visit Wednesday. He returned home yesterday.

Nellie B. White has sued her husband, Harry A. White, for a divorce on the ground of desertion. The couple were intermarried May 11, 1896.

Harry Jackson, George Jamison, Harry Linder and Ed Keller returned home last week, after a three weeks' hunting trip in Sanhedrim. The boys had excellent luck, having killed sixteen deer.

Sam Taber of Waterhouse, Lester & company was in town on a business visit this week. Mr. Taber visits Ukiah quite frequently lately. This is said to be one of the best business towns in the state.

John McCallum of Fort Bragg, a native of Canada; Rufelino Figone, a native of Italy; Guiseppe Natucci, a native of Italy, and Francis Armstrong, a native of Canada, were naturalized by Judge Mannon Monday.

A. J. Fairbanks brought 3200 head of sheep down from Humboldt county during the week and shipped them south Wednesday. Five hundred head went down to Noonan of Santa Rosa, the balance to the Western Meat company.

Mrs. John Hill and family returned Wednesday from Mendocino City, where they have been visiting Mrs. Hill's sister, Mrs. H. B. Seavey, for some time past. Miss Daisy Seavey returned with them and will spend her summer vacation visiting friends and relatives in this city.

William Clark of Cahto made this city a business visit Wednesday.

Mrs. Earl Strock of Redwood valley was in this city Wednesday on a visit.

Clabe Bartlett and family are camping at I. L. Thompson's, south of town.

Frank Albertson and wife are rusticating at Laurel Arch grove, west of town.

Crede Moxley, proprietor of the Mountain House, was in this city this week.

Frank Redwine of San Francisco is visiting friends and relatives in this city.

Sheriff Allen brought up a patient from Santa Rosa Tuesday evening for the local asylum.

Charles Mathews, a prosperous merchant of Potter, was in this city yesterday on business.

R. M. George and wife of Santa Rosa were among those registered at the Palace Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Strauss of San Francisco are guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Young of this city.

George Martin Lincke, a native of Russia who resides at Albion, was admitted to citizenship yesterday.

Assessor McFaul and family are on the coast. Mr. McFaul is looking after his tanbark interests in that section.

Archie McClure has secured the agency for a newly invented prune incubator, and will try to form a local stock company to exploit it.

James B. Meyers and Miss Josie M. Faught, both of Hopland, were united in marriage in this city Wednesday by Rev. John Hannon.

Sam Rice, a former resident and business man of this city, was seen on the streets this week. Mr Rice reports business very dull in the southern part of the state.

R. R. Cartwright of Phoenix, Arizona, was in town this week looking for a stock ranch. Mr. Cartwright intends locating here permanently if he can secure a good ranch.

Smith & Donohoe, two prominent business men, are having an awning erected in front of their new brick building on School street. Cook & Orr are doing the work.

Marvin Laughlin has joined the ranks of the stockbuyers; that is, he bought two handsome burros yesterday upon which he expects to enjoy many happy rides with his young son.

The county clerk's fees for the past month were $173.50. Two criminal, seven probate and eleven civil cases were commenced, and thirteen marriage licenses were issued during the month.

Mrs. N. Anker of this city went down to Healdsburg Monday to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. G. Posey, who died there Sunday last. THE PRESS extends its heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved relatives of the deceased.

POLITICAL POINTERS.

REDWOOD BILL WILL JOIN THE POPULISTS.

He Tells How Jay Bunion, Gardy Gibson and Gus Poage Have Been Trying to Work the Various Lodges on the Coast· Bad for the Nut Factory.

JAY BUNION is still on de coast, and he'll be still still when he gets to runnin' for the assemblie. Gardy and Gus got back last night, and had a hot time among the Foresters over in the fog belt. There's nuthin' like belongin' to lodjes when you're a-runnin' for office. I'm goin' in to jine all de societies in de county, and I'm goin' to work 'em all when I get de popocratic nom. for constable up in Calpella. I've got de Foresters all solid, you bet.

Judge Morse was a-tellin' me de oder day dat he'd kind of shuck de silver side of de question. He said he'd been kinder worked for a sucker last year, but de gyraf had put him onto himself.

"De boys up in Redwood was a laffin' at J. Henry Smith de oder day. Dey says as how when he goes out to pull a vag he borrows 8 or ten pairs of irons from Hatch and puts de darbies all over de crook and den sits in his buggy and holds a gun on de guy until he lands him in de cooler. Henry's affraid de geeser might make a brake to escape and get de sonstroke.

"Bob Hardie of Noyo was a-tellin' me the other day that he was a-goin' to run for the assemblie," continued Redwood Bill, as he pulled a foxtail out of his ear. "Bob's a dandy, and don't you forget it, and he's the farmer's friend. He told me that Jay Bunion didn't have nothin' to do with the labor bill that he's a-been makin' his fight on among the suckers on the coast. J. Henry Seawell first thought of that little indoocer, and he worked it in the legislature before Jay Bunion quit a-teachin' school at Willits. Some geeser told Bunion that he'd ought to make a play to the gallery, and so he got Henry's old bill and got Fitzgerald, the labor feller, to fix it up, and then sprung it.

"But Bob Hardie's goin' to go Jay Bee one better. He's goin' to introduce a bill makin' the companies pay the farmers for the stuff dey buys of 'em; and he's a-goin' to make 'em pay up promptly every thirty days. As it is now the bloomin' grangers only get sixty day paper, and they're tired of it.

Bob Hardie says dat de opinion over on de coast is dat de labor bill was a job. Ye see it was fixed up so dat the bloomin' ting don't apply to nuthin' but de corporations, so all de corps. have to do in order to run dere joints is to lease dere plants to guys what's a-workin' fer 'em. De Dems tried to make capital out of Jay Bunion's little schem, but Hardie,s onto de game all right.

"There's a feller up in Eden valley that's awful hot over the way he's been treated by one of the popocratic guys what's a-runnin' for office this year. This feller had a hoss and colt and he wanted to sell 'em, so he giv a feller in Ukiah a tip. The candidate sold the hoss and colt for thirty $, but he only turned over fifteen to the hayseed what owned the animals, and it took the granger three or 4 months to get that much out of the greeser what's a runnin'? Say, the boys in Redwood valley won't do nuthin' to him, will dey?

"I'm givin' you dis on de low down: De Dems are goin' to introduce a plank in dere platform which will prevent de wives of de geesers who are able to support 'em from teachin' school. De boys say dat a man who can't support a wife hadn't ought to have one. Dey say dat de state pays for educatin' de teachers, and when dey happen to be gals and get a cert dey comes along and find out dat some married man has a wife whose got a soft snap in a school and she keeps it. I'm in favor of dis reform. I don't think dat a gal whose married ought to have a school unless de old man's a stiff and can't make a livin', and den she'd ought to giv him de clammy hand.

"De guys what run de nut factory over de river are havin' a hot old time just now. Dey thought at first dat work on de new beanery would be commenced so's dey could colonize a lot of popocrats on de people be4 de fall elections, but its been diskivored dat de blokes what makes politics in de assylims wasn't onto dere jobs. De hole business has been illegal, and now de guys have to advertise over agin, and dey can't do de colonizin' act until its too late in de fall to run de rosettes in fer Maguire. Dese fellers make me tired. Dey tink dey can fool de boys up in Redwood, but dere isn't a kid from Coyote valley to Tomki what isn't onto de jays.

The Death of Mrs. Sloat.

Mrs. Phoebe Sloat died at her home in Calpella Saturday last. The deceased was aged 21, and was a very highly respected member of society. She leaves a husband and two small children to mourn her loss. The interment took place in the Odd Fellows' cemetery in this city last Sunday morning. The number of friends who were in attendance at the grave was proof of the high esteem in which the deceased was held.

Committed to the Asylum.

John Ontis, a pioneer of this county and an oldtime resident of Ukiah, was committed to the local asylum by Judge Mannon Wednesday. Ontis was brought over from Philo by C. P. McGimsey and R. H. Rawles. He had resided in that place for some time past. In early days Mr. Ontis kept the livery stable now owned by C. E. Ellis.

Bad Timber Fires.

A dispatch from Lakeport dated August 1st says that for nearly a week past fierce fires have been raging in the mountains west of town, denuding them of brush and timber. Last Friday four of the fires ran together and created such a terrible conflagration that all the available men in this vicinity were called to Highland springs to help fight it. There was also a large delegation from Kelseyville. The men commenced back-firing, extending over an area of several miles in length, and were successful in breaking the force of the fire. Had it not been for assistance that great resort would have undoubtedly been burned.

Another fire is now threatening Big valley and the farmers are plowing the outside of their fields and then plowing a strip parallel a few feet from the other and burning the stubble between. This fire has destroyed nearly all the timber in Manning's canyon and burned several ranchers out. One man alone, Peter Boggs, lost several thousand dollars' worth of timber.

Still another fire is raging northwest of town in the vicinity of Cow Mountain. It started in Mendocino county, and has been burning a week.

These fires are supposed to have been started by hunters who do it to drive out the deer. One of the suspects is being hunted for by the officers, and if captured and proved guilty, it will go hard with him, as the people will stand no nonsense.

A Grave Crime.

James M. Hensen of Round valley has sworn to a complaint charging William Swearingen with having stolen a doorlock and key. Hensen says in the complaint that Swearingen was armed with a Winchester rifle at the time and threatened to shoot him. Swearingen was held over for trial under $500 bonds.

Not Sufficient Evidence.

William Hargrave, who was arrested by Sheriff Smith last week on a charge of takin g the express boxes from the Mendocino-Navarro stage, had his preliminary examination before Justice Cameron of Navarro Monday last. The evidence was not sufficient to hold Hargrave and he was discharged.

The local train was half an hour late Wednesday noon on account of a carload of hay catching fire by spontaneous combustion on the freight. The car and hay encumbered the track and stopped travel while the pyrotechnic display was in progress. No other damage was done.

The dance held at Mason's lyceum last evening was well attended and thoroughly enjoyed. The weather clerk reduced the temperature for the occasion and thanks were due him as well as to the leaders of the 315, who promoted the affair.

FREE-FOR-ALL FIGHT

THE EVANGELIST DEMANDED GOOD BEHAVIOR.

The Boys of Covelo Did Not Like His Actions, Words and Manner of Expressing Himself—Rev. Ledford of the Baptist Church Fined Five Dollars.

COVELO, August 1.—There was a free fight in the Baptist church Friday evening last. Rev. J. S. Ledford has been holding revival meetings here for the past two weeks. Some of the boys behaved in such a manner that he thought it necessary to call them to order. His remarks on their behavior caused them to act worse than ever.

It is alleged that he called them hoodlums, and that he came fully warned and prepared for just such characters. He also said that they would not run over him. It was not what he said so much as the manner, tone and actions by which he expressed himself that gave the offense. His words and actions on Thursday night aroused some of the boys to that degree that they were ready for most anything.

When the singing commenced Friday evening the boys, who felt sore at being called hoodlums, kept time to the music with their feet. Ledford asked them to desist, but his manner and words only added fuel to the fire.

When the second tune was started the stamping of feet increased. The preacher left his place and went into the body of the church to where Lemuel Montague, better known as Bookie, was sitting, and asked him why he did not stop whispering as requested.

Bookie told him that he was not whispering. Ledford asserted that he was and that he would put him out, and laid hold of him for that purpose. Bookie's friends took a hand and the fight was on. Benches were overturned, women screamed, children cried, and the men tore at one another like wild beasts.

The fighting men were between the women and the door, so the women raised a window and jumped out, and it is a wonder that some of them were not hurt, for the window-sill is seven feet from the ground.

In the mixup Frank Montague got hold of Bookie, his brother, and thinking that he had the preacher, choked Bookie nearly to death. Ledford's clothes were badly torn, but he was not hurt very much.

P. A. Duel tried to part the fighting men, but E. B. Bowman thought he was helping the boys, so he attacked Duel. Duel picked him up and threw him over three or four benches. The old man was badly hurt, but he got up fighting mad, and made for Duel with a knife, but he was not allowed to get near enough to do any harm.

The church people had four of the boys arrested, and the boys had J. S. Ledford arrested. The trial of J. S. Ledford came up before Joel Eveland, justice of the peace, Tuesday. The defendant was found guilty of assault and battery, and was fined $5. The boys trial comes up Wednesday.

N. B.

Entertained at Duncan Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Eastman entertained a number of friends at Camp Bohemia in Doolan's canyon Saturday evening last. The numerous Japanese lanterns artistically hung in the branches of pine and laurel trees made everything as beautiful as a midsummer night's dream. The scene was made more realistic by the elflike forms of Gardy Gibson and Dr. Stout moving in airy grace in the weird light. The hours were delightfully spent in singing, card-playing and fortune-telling. Ice cream, cake and fruit were served during the evening. At a late hour the merry throng bid the genial host and hostess good night. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. M. Carothers, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jamison, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. McGarvey, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Gardy Gibson, Mmes Kate Sweasy, J. H. Barker, Rena Shattuck, Misses Kate Bromley, Susie Harris, Joseph, Dr. G. W. Stout, R. E. Donohoe.

Engines Collide Near Cloverdale.

The pile driver engine and engine No. 9 of the Ukiah freight train collided Monday night this side of Cloverdale. No one was injured but both engines were badly damaged. They were taken to Tiburon for repairs Tuesday afternoon.

Ben Scott of Point Arena will attend Mrs. Porterfield's normal, which opens in this city Monday.

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

HAPPENINGS OF THE PAST FEW DAYS FROM ALL QUARTERS.

Bismarck Is Dead — Murderer Thorn Electrocuted—Fatal Fire in a Chicago Lodging House — Electrical Workers Strike at St. Louis.

P. L. Orcutt of Boston has bought 5,000 pounds of wool in eastern Oregon at 15½ cents.

Prince Bismarck, the ex-chancellor of Germany, died at Friedrichsruhe, Saturday.

The new freight rate on rough pine or redwood lumber from San Francisco to New York is 60 cents.

Martin Thorn was recently electrocuted at Sing Sing, N. Y., for the murder of William Guldensuppe.

Codding & Co., who are among the largest boot and shoe dealers in New England, have assigned at Boston.

There were 28 prostrations from the excessive heat in New York Saturday, eight of which were fatal.

Letters received lately from the imprisoned whaling fleet in the Arctic ocean state that the seamen are in no danger and will come out all right.

It is reported that Hawaii has agreed to pay Japan £40,000 in settlement of the dispute which arose out of the exclusion of Japanese immigrants from the Hawaiian islands.

Fire totally destroyed the Berwyn hotel in Chicago. All exits were cut off and three persons were burned to death and 14 injured. Among the victims was H. A. Tiedeman, a California musician.

About 400 linemen belonging to the electrical workers' union are on a strike at St. Louis for an advance in wages from $2 50 to $3 per day for ten hours' work.

The gross earnings of the Mexican National railway for the second week of July were $113,374.97, against $96,411.53 for the same week last year.

A. A. Robinson, re-elected president of the Mexican Central Railway Company at the annual meeting, says the exports of Mexico for 1897 were valued at $112,000,000, of which the exports of metals were worth $80,000,000, and all products of orchard, farm and forest $32,000,000.

Charles Denby, Jr., former secretary of the American legation at Peking, China, says that "within 20 years there will be 20,000 miles of railroad in operation in China. The internal development of the Orient has just begun. America's footing in Oriental trade will be broadened and our prestige in the affairs in the Far East greatly increased."

The American Union party on Honolulu wants Minister Sewall to be the first Governor of Hawaii. At a meeting of the central committee a strong memorial was prepared and signed, and has been sent to President McKinley, asking for his appointment.

Fresno, Cal., papers say "meadows that have been boggy for years have have dried up and are dusty. The streams and springs are nearly all dry."

Estimates in California of the per cent. of different timber sawed are as follows: Redwood 50, yellow pine 20, sugar pine 15, Doughlas spruce ten and fir five.

Our Alaskan possessions, which we acquired in c1867, extend 1500 miles farther westward than the Hawaiian islands, which we have just acquired.

During July steamers have been arriving from the Yukon, via St. Michael with passengers, many of whom were extremely fortunate, others with the usual individual tales of disaster. So far, this year, it is estimated that about $10,000,000 has been received from that region.

The gunboat Iroquois, formerly the tug Fearless, will make the longest tow ever undertaken. She is to haul the ship Tacoma from San Francisco to Manila by way of Honolulu, a distance of about 6600 miles. The Tacoma is to carry 100 horses and 120 mules and a coal supply. The Iroquois will steam to Honolulu, a distance of 2100 miles on her own coal. At Honolulu she will recoal from the bunkers at that port, and then proceed to the Ladrones, and there getting into smooth water, will take on sufficient coal from the Tacoma to carry her through to Manila.

The town of Beckwith, Cal., was almost entirely wiped out of existence by fire. All that remains of the 50 odd houses composing the town are the schoolhouse, a church, one residence and three barns.

A new oil field has been discovered in Southern California. The new discovery was made by Jonathan Begg, the mining locator, and lies in the Santa Ana range of mountains on their eastern slopes and Elsinore lake, Riverside county.

Southern Oregon hay is $8 per ton on the cars.

Redlands, Cal., proposes to have an electric street railway system.

Advices from Skaguay, Alaska, state that Frank H. Reid, who killed "Soapy" Smith, has died from his wounds. Reid's people live in Roseburg, Or.

The State of California has already furnished over 6000 soldiers to the war with Spain. This is more than 20 per cent of all the troops that have been assembled in and about San Francisco during the past three months. Of California's 6000, practically 2000 have already embarked for Manila. No other State in the Union is believed to have furnished so large a proportional representation in the volunteer army.

The assessment rolls of Los Angeles city have been completed. The total assessment is more than $65,000,000, an increase of nearly $3,000,000 over last year.

The president of the California Raisin-growers' association announces the success of the plan to pool the raisin product of the state. He states that contracts have been made to secure control of 90 per cent of the output.

Living on the Limits.

"Nine-tenths of our surroundings are superfluous," said the observant man. "The government feeds its soldiers and sailors on 30 cents a day. Just think of that! As for household goods, let me tell you. There is a man who does odd jobs around our house, and the other day he informed my wife that she was going to move and gave her his new address.

"About 8 o'clock I was strolling along the street when I met my man and his wife and their 14-year-old boy. The man had a clock under his right arm, a picture in his left hand and a roll of bedclothing strapped on his back. His wife carried a large basket filled with crockery and a small roll of carpet. The boy brought up the rear with two chairs and a dishpan. I loitered on the corner, and presently they came along with more chairs, a collection of pots and pans, and the man carried a table on his head. The third load comprised another basket, probably containing kitchen utensils, more chairs, broom, oil can, baby's chair and a bag of flour. The man told my wife that he had to borrow a pushcart to move his stove and bedstead.

"Now, just think of that! One hundred dollars would certainly cover the cost of that outfit, and three people lived on it. Doesn't it make you realize the hollowness of life?"—Philadelphia Press.

A Long One.

A man well known in State street circles found himself in front of what he supposed was his Back Bay residence late one evening recently. He had a great many dollars' worth of wine under his waistcoat and could not gain entrance through the medium of his latchkey. Becoming enraged, in a drunken fashion, he kicked the door, broke the glass and used language that is unfit for publication. Finally the door was opened, and the owner of the house, who is athletic and irascible, proceeded to kick the State street financier into the middle of the street.

"Wazzer you—hic—mean—hic?" inquired the assaulted party indignantly as he sat upon the curbstone and held his throbbing brow with both hands.

"And what do you mean by trying to break into my house?" inquired the other man.

"Your—hic—house!" exclaimed the State street man in bewilderment. "How—hic—long—hash you lived—hic—here?"

"For four years," was the answer.

"Holy smoke—hic!" exclaimed the financier. "Have I—hic—been drunk—hic—as long as that?"—Boston Traveler.

Fascinating Mary Stuart.

It would seem indeed as if years only added to the charm of certain remarkable women. Mary Stuart was 47 at the time she was beheaded, yet she used her irresistible powers of fascination through all her imprisonments and up to the very last act of the tragedy. Froude, it is true, insists on certain unromantic details, such as the wearing of a wig by the queen on the day of execution, but what are wigs when weighed in the balance with immortal fascination? It was true that Mary was no special favorite with her own sex, nor does she nowadays inspire any disinterested enthusiasm among women. No; Mary Stuart was "a man's woman" both during her life and ever since her death. The army of her masculine admirers is legion, and the books that they have written in her cause form a literature in themselves. The queen of Scots died young and fascinating at 47, and she will always remain the type of eternally irresistible womanhood.—Exchange.

Fearless Men.

There is a condition possible to some few souls that if not really the highest attribute of humanity would be chosen by most men of noble mold were selection possible. It is the unawed tranquillity, the absolute inability to fear that some men, not many, possess, or rather, one should say, by which some men are possessed. An instance of such courage on a low plane is that of Potemkin kicking aside the bloody head of his predecessor as he stepped to the block; an act almost indelicate enough to be humorous, yet withal significant of an iron nerve.

Somewhere in the late seventies another Russian, but this time a savant, gave a proof of what length a rapt intensity of purpose will carry a man to. In order to make good his theory that a suicide may be deliberate and unrepenting he subjected himself to hideous torture, ending in death, but under such circumstances that he might have relinquished his design at any stage of its progress. He lay on his back upon a bedstead from which he had stripped all the clothing, with a lamp placed underneath him so that the flame just touched his spine, rising at intervals to make notes, which were afterward published. They show a calm spirit of research and are slightly triumphant in tone, though touched into high relief once or twice by an expression of anguish.—F. Foster in North American Review.

Quaint Fashions In Manilla.

Gem of the orient earth and open sea,
Manilla, that in thy lap and on thy breast
Hath gathered beauties all the loveliest,
On which the sun smiles in his majesty,

and so on. The quatrain, with an unimportant emendation, is from Bowring. It sounds fine and rings false. Manilla used to be regarded as the most fortunately situated city in the world. Just why is a problem. Set beneath a torrid sky, remote from the routes of commerce, it has squatted, unheeding and practically unheeded, the capital of a stretch of unfortunate isles. Visitors have been infrequent. The earliest was Magellan. The most recurrent has been the typhoon. The most pertinacious has been the earthquake.

Objects of interest are few. Among them is the mestizo. Superstitious as a ballad, languorous as a serenade, she floats, a human butterfly, along the scarlet lanes. Another feature is the climate. Fancy a pastille burning in a vapor bath. The atmosphere has the savor of cachous and the bite of red peppers. Costume, in consequence, is brief. The mantilla of the mestizo is her hair. Her raiment is silk, very bright, very loose. The male half caste wears trousers and a shirt. The tails of the latter are not always tucked in. On high days he flaunts them. The effect is neat, not gaudy. So much for local fashion.—Edgar Saltus in Collier's Weekly.

A Sure Sham.

Mrs. Jenkyns—I see Mrs. Hoetong is going to have "King Lear" at her next private theatricals.

Mrs. Newrich (furious with envy)—Is she, the affected thing? Do you know, I don't believe he's a real king at all.—London Fun.

ADAM

Didn't take a newspaper, didn't use stationery, and wore fig leaves. He was the only pebble on the beach then, but Adam is dead. If you want to be up-to-date you must take a county newspaper and use good stationery.

LIVE AND LET LIVE

A MAN is judged by the company he keeps. So is a business man judged by his stationery. If you print your own envelopes, etc., and use a rubber stamp, people are very apt to think you are a cheap man.

YOU can also get a grade of printing equally as poor as rubber stamp work. It is turned out by inexperienced hands who never saw the inside of a legitimate printing office. You can get this work cheap. It is cheap.

WHEN you are having printing done why not get the best, it is the cheapest in the long run. An artistic job will do more work than a dozen poor ones. No business house would send out a shabby salesman to represent it and you can't afford to have shabby stationery.

FURTHER, when you decide to get your printing done don't send to some cheap joint in San Francisco. Give your home printer a chance. The printer is a generous man and spends his money at home.

NOW, look at it the other way. Suppose the printer would send below for his groceries, hardware, etc. Wouldn't you roar? Well, we guess yes. Do as you would be done by. Give us a chance to do your printing. We don't do cheap work but it is good work.

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PERSONALS.

Mr. Rowe of Albion is over on a business visit.

Harry Glazier will leave tomorrow for Washington.

Mike Lynch of Westport is over on a business visit.

Miss Elzina Pitner will open the Mineral Springs school Monday.

Gus Fairbanks shipped twenty-two cars of sheep below this week.

Emmett Donohoe leaves tomorrow for Fort Bragg for a few days' visit there.

Smith & Gibson shipped three carloads of beef cattle to the Western Meat market today.

It is rumored that a concrete sidewalk is to be laid in front of the Blue Wing saloon.

J. M. Roberts, the Potter valley merchant, was in town on a business visit this week.

Mrs. J. T. Rogers and daughter Josie of Westport came over yesterday and leave forSan Francisco today.

W. W. Cunningham jr. and F. V. McPeak have accepted positions as clerks in the tax collector's office.

Miss Jennie McElroy has closed her school at Kibesillah and is attending Mrs. Porterfield's normal class.

J. W. Eversole and wife left Wednesday for the Catalena islands, where they will spend a month rusticating.

Mrs. Rachael Heald of Cloverdale is visiting her nieces, Mrs. Philip Howell and Mrs. Zack Bartlett of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. White returned on Saturday last from Duncan's springs, where they spent a couple of weeks.

B. F. Brown has completed C. E. Tryon's house on Clay street. The new home is quite an ornament to the block.

Bert Gibson moved into his new house in north addition yesterday. Mr. Gibson purchased this house recently from Harry McElroy.

George, Arthur and Roy Henley came down from Covelo yesterday. The boys will attend the local high school for the ensuing term.

Harry Jackson has recently had his shaving parlors on State street papered and painted. The place presents quite an attractive appearance.

John Redemeyer, proprietor of Vichy springs, purchased a couple of burros this week. They will be used to amuse the children at that resort.

Elmer Heger, a graduate of the local high school, goes to Berkeley tomorrow. Mr. Heger intends entering the university of California the coming term.

Prof. Nuckolls of the local public school came down from Redwood valley yesterday. Mr. Nuckolls reports having built a new granary during his vacation.

The wheat crop on Ripey Brothers' ranch averaged fifty-two bushels to the acre this year. This shows that this valley is all right for wheat raising.

It is reported that about one-third of the prune crop of this valley has been ruined by the extremely hot weather, and the pear crop is also slightly damaged.

F. H. Vaughn and Fred Frazier left Tuesday morning on a hunting trip. It is reported that several fine specimens of deer have fallen as a result of this expedition.

The local baseball club will leave early tomorrow morning for Fort Bragg, where they have a game with the team of that city. The Ukiah boys are very confident of victory.

Camp-meeting will be held at Bethel campground, three miles north of town, beginning today and continuing to Monday, August 14th. Strong ministerial assistance is expected.

Walter Linforth, a prominent lawyer of San Francisco, and J. J. Buggett, a legal light of Santa Rosa, came over from Highlands Sunday, where they have been spending the past couple of weeks. The gentlemen left for their homes on Tuesday's train.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Rhodes left Monday for Point Arena on a camping trip. Mr. Rhodes will attend the Republican county convention held at that place today. Miss Lizzie Price, a teacher in the local school, has charge of the office during their absence.

Board of Supervisors.

The board of supervisors met Saturday last to award contracts for the repairing of bridges across Eel and South Eel rivers.

Healey, Tibbetts & company were given the work. They bid $5370 for repairing the bridges and are to furnish the planking and stringers at $27.50 a thousand feet.

The contract for the construction of the proposed road in District 4 was awarded to C. A. Perkins and Dave Brandon for $1440. Bonds were placed at $500.

The clerk was ordered to readvertise for bids for supplies for the county.

It was ordered that $500 be transferred from the general road fund to District 2.

W. H. Clay was granted the privilege of removing the bodies of two children from the cemetery.

Ex-Supervisor Allen Davidson was appointed to superintend the repairing of bridges across Eel river.

Illegal Fishing.

Wednesday last State Fish Commissioner Vogelsang arrested Francisco Braccarlini, Giovanni Brigna and Francysco Bertoni for fishing in Russian river near Echo station with dynamite. They were brought up on last night's train. Their preliminary examination will come up before Justice Critchfield tomorrow at 1 o'clock. It is said the commissioner has a clear case and that several more are implicated. The penalty for this is not less than $250 fine or 150 days' imprisonment, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

The Zeno Mauvais company of San Francisco have just issued another fine song. It is called Our Boys and is from the pen of that clever young writer and composer, Hattie Moulton. As the title indicates it is a war song and ranks as the best of its kind. It is dedicated to Company G, 1st California Volunteers, being written by the authoress on the subject of the recent departure of these brave lads for the Philippine islands. Both words and music are inspiring and written in Miss Moulton's best style. Our national colors are artistically and patriotically designed on the title page, making a striking and attractive combination and an ornament for the piano in every true American home. The song itself need only be sung or heard to at once gain favor. It can be had from any music dealer for 35 cents or direct from the Mauvais Music company of 769 Market street.

The Ship's Bell.

The ship's bell is the mariner's clock. The nautical day begins and ends at noon, when eight bells is struck. The bell is struck half hourly, day and night, one stroke being added for each half hour until eight is reached, when the count begins at one bell.

In the United States navy the ship's bell hangs usually under the forecastle, or just forward of the foremast. The captain's orderly keeps the time and reports to the officer of the deck the hour in terms of "bells." The officer of the deck then bids the messenger of the watch strike the bell. There is somewhat more formality at eight bells than at other times, for then the hour is reported to the captain and the bell not struck until he has said, "Make it so." Here is the routine on board a man-of-war at 8 o'clock in the morning: The orderly says to the officer of the deck, "Eight bells, sir." The officer of the deck replies, "Report to the captain eight bells and chronometers wound." The orderly then goes to the captain and says, "Eight bells and the chronometers wound, sir." The captain replies, "Very well; make it so." The orderly goes to the officer of the deck and says, "Make it so, sir." The officer of the deck says to the messenger of the watch, "Strike eight bells," and if everybody has been prompt the messenger strikes eight bells at exactly 8 a. m.—Boston Post.

Curious Biblical Fragments.

While the Trellis written Bible was undoubtedly intended for the use of the grown up scholar, in whose case a fair acquaintance with the sacred volume could be assumed, we have another species of Biblical fragments, representing the "Reader Without Tears" of the old world. They are written in large, distinct letters and contain as a rule the first verses of the book of Levitious, accompanied or preceded by various combinations of the letters of the alphabet which the child had to practice upon. Sometimes it is the fragments forming the conclusions of books, or, more correctly, of whole groups of books, such as the end of the Pentateuch, the end of the prophets and the end of the Hagiographa, that yield us important information, for in some cases they possess appendices or colophons that give the date of the manuscripts as well as the names of the owner and of the scribe.

Occasionally we come upon a good scolding, as when the colophon runs: "This pentateuch (or psalter) was dedicated by N. NN., in the year ——, to the synagogue ——. It shall not be sold, it shall not be removed, it shall not be pawned. Cursed be he who sells it, cursed be he that removes it," etc. —London Globe.

The Only Thing to Do.

There was a time when the Illinois Central railroad was being constantly sued. This story illustrating the avidity of plaintiffs is related by the Louisville Courier-Journal. Emily A. Storrs, the famous Chicago lawyer, was approached by an old man with a note one day. The note had been found among the effects of a deceased relative.

"What's the nature of the note?" asked Mr. Storrs.

"I don't know, sir," replied the old fellow.

"Have you any idea who wrote it?" asked Mr. Storrs.

"No, sir," answered the note bearer.

"Well, do you know anything about the note at all?" asked Mr. Storrs.

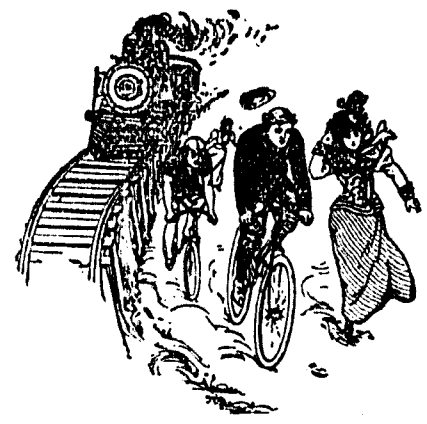
"Nothing at all, sir," answered the old man.

"Well," remarked Mr. Storrs thoughtfully, "the only thing I can see to do in the premises is to sue the Illinois Central railroad."

The Race of the Age!

What a race!

The train was just pulling out of Englewood, puffing and panting with its mighty efforts. As it slowly gained speed it came on a lot of tow headed children roosting on a fence, who shouted and waved as the cars came up, and then, as if with a common impulse, every child leaped to the ground and began a race with the train. The race was of short duration. As the



machine left the panting little runners behind, a gray haired onlooker smiling sadly remarked: "Young America all over. Nothing too swift for them to race against." "Yes, you couldn't find a fitter exemplification of the familiar saying, 'The child is the father of the man' than in that group of children racing against the train. It's but a preliminary heat of the great race their parents are engaged in. As a physician I realize as perhaps you do not," he continued, "the erroneous change that fifty years have made in our national life. People point back to grandmothers and greatgrandmothers and say

LOOK AT THEM!

Compare them with the women of to-day! How straight they were and how strong, how hardy and how helpful they were, how heartily they ate and how heartily they laughed.

"To-day, as men and women, millions of us do in earnest what those children did in play; we're keyed up to the straining point all the time, and the nerves won't stand the daily strains and drains without protest."

There is a ton of solid fact to reflect on, suggested by the statement just quoted. What are we going to do? This is the age of steam, the age of electricity. We must keep up in

THE GREAT RACE.

But how long can we keep up? No longer, relatively, than the children kept up their race with the train. What we need is more brawn, more blood and better blood. Strength of body depends on a pure and plentiful blood current, for science has never advanced a fact beyond the statement of Moses that "The Blood is The Life." But every generation of investigation shows the statement to be true in a wider, deeper, and broader sense than was dreamed of in the past. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery begins at the beginning with the blood. It cures practically a wide range of diseases because many forms of disease have their origin in the blood. It is a scientific compound based, not upon theory but upon the practical, common sense proof that if you purify, enrich, and vitalize the blood you overcome disease in any organ. The "Golden Medical Discovery" heals disease in just this way. It begins first of all to strengthen the body through the blood, and every ounce of new blood and pure blood counts against disease.

"It was near the little town of Leroy, W. Va., and during the month of March, 1896, that a young man lay pale and motionless upon (what the neighbors called) his dying bed. Disease of the lungs, liver complaint, kidney trouble, and pleurisy were fast hastening him to the grave. The doctors had given him up to die. The neighbors said, 'he cannot live.' 'Oh, I would not care to die,' he said, 'were it not for leaving my dear wife and little child, but I know that I must die.' A brother had presented him with three bottles of medicine, but he had no faith in 'patent medicines'; but, after the doctors had given him up to die and he had banished every hope of recovery, he said to his wife, 'Dear wife, I am going to die, there can be no harm now in taking that medicine. I will begin its use at once.' He did begin to use it and at first he grew worse, but soon there came a change. Slowly but surely he got better. To-day that man is strong and healthy and he owes his life to that medicine. What was the medicine? It was Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and I, Luther Martin, am the cured man. Dr. Pierce, I thank you from the very depth of my heart, for rescuing me from the grave." The foregoing is from Luther Martin, Esq., a prominent citizen of Lubec, Wood Co., W. Va.

M. L. Messer, Esq., of Garfield, Lamoille Co., Vt., writes: "I had been out of health for about two years. Suffered with pain in head, nervousness, could not sleep, poor appetite, loss of flesh; caused by overwork. Doctors did not help me so I applied to you for advice, and described my case. You replied advising me to use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and 'Pellets.' I did so and after using one bottle I could sleep better and felt better. After using six bottles of the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and two vials of 'Pellets,' I find myself gaining in flesh and I am almost entirely cured."

Morals and the Stage.

Mr Albert Chevalier, the famous "coster" impersonator, was once the recipient of a letter from a gentleman who had heard him sing his famous song, "My Old Dutch." The correspondent wrote that when he entered the theater that night he had intended to become divorced from his wife, owing to constant disagreements and troubles with her, but the song so affected him that he resolved to do nothing of the sort, but to make an effort toward a newer and better life. Mr. Chevalier stated that the note evidently came from an educated man, and he had every belief in its genuineness.

When Hawthorne's celebrated "Scarlet Letter" was being performed, a young man wrote a very impressive letter to the management. "I entered the theater last night," he said, "with a very great sin in contemplation. I need not go into details, but it will suffice to say that the deed I had in my mind would have ruined a home in this city. But when the play was over I saw only too clearly how terrible are the consequences of sin, and I thank God that I can now affirm that I have put it out of my mind forever."—London Standard.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the eustachian tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give one hundred dollars for any case of deafness, caused by catarrh, that cannot be cured. by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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Sheepmen's Troubles.

That coyotes are not the only destructive contention sheepmen have to deal with is shown by the fact that William McGimsey has just lost thirty-two head, killed by dogs, says the Cloverdale Reveille. The dogs belonged to C. B. Gallagher, who has satisfactorily settled with Mr. McGimsey for the loss. Complaint is often heard from sheepmen on the dog question and it has caused no little contention among neighbors. Dogs are a greater destructive element to sheep than coyotes, which opinion is expressed by many. There ought to be some law compelling the muzzling of dogs that are in the habit of killing sheep or better yet, there should a heavy fine imposed on the parties found harboring dogs of that nature, and probably that might to an extent rid the country of a lot of useless curs.

In Hawaii they have one very unique custom in regard to debt. Any stranger can get credit almost from the time he sets foot on the islands, but so long as he owes a dollar he is not permitted to leave the country. A man who gets hopelessly involved in debt there might as well make up his mind to become a citizen for the rest of his life—he can only escape by liquidating. This law has always been enforced but since the annexation to the United States the islands may get a new system of laws that will repeal the existing statutes.

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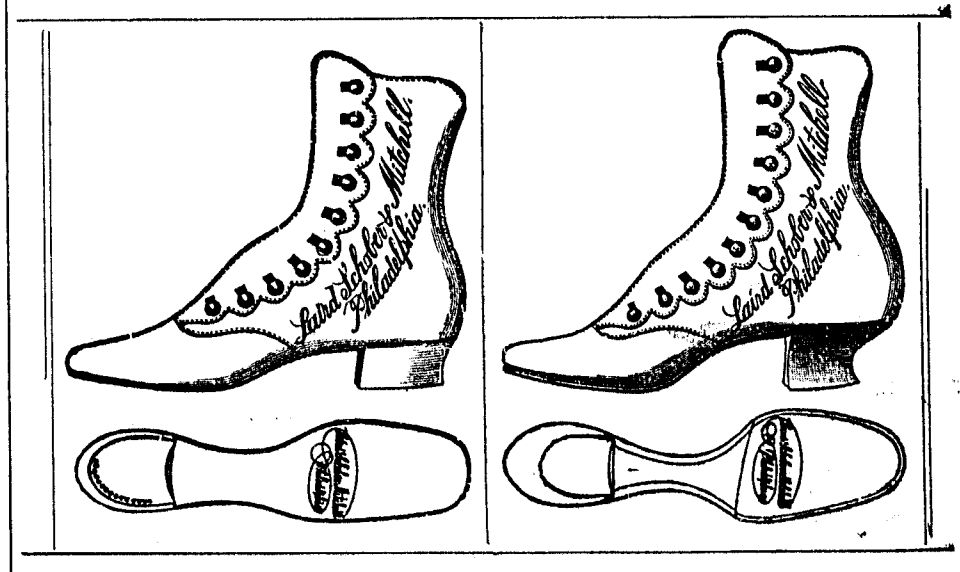

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BARLEY—Fair to good Feed, $1 17½@1 [illegible]; No. 1 Feed, $1 22½; brewing, choice, No. 1, $1 20@1 25; Chevalier, $1 50@1 6[illegible].

OATS—Feed, poor to fair, $1 17½@1 25½; good to choice, $1 27½@1 30; choice to fancy, $1 82½@1 35; Suprise, $1 30@1 37½; Milling, $1 30½@1 35½; Norway, Black for feed, $1 12½@1 20; Gray, $1 15@1 20; Red, $1 35@1 45.

CORN—New crop, small yellow, 1 30@1 35; Large yellow, 1 13@1 05; White, 1 17½@1 20 per ctl.

BEANS—Large white, $1 90@2 00; small do, $2 00@2 25; Pea, $1 75@1 90; Butter, large, $1 75@2 10; do small, $1 25@1 50; Lima, $2 80@2 90; Red, $2 00@3 00; Pink, $2 60@2 75; bayo, $2 85@2 90; Black-eyed, $3 00@3 85; Red Kidney $2 00@2 50.

SEEDS—Yellow mustard, per ctl, $2 25@2 50; Trieste, $2 85@3 00; Native, $1 75@2 20; Canary, California, $2; imported, $2 75; Hemp, $3@3 50; Flax, $1 75@2 00; Rape, $2 00@2 50; Timothy, $5.

HAY—Per ton: Wheat $15 00@18 50; Barley, $13 00@15 50; Oat, $14@17 00 Wheat and Oat, $16@17 50; Alfalfa, $13 00@13 00; Clover, $14@15 50; Stock, $11 00@12 50; Compressed, $21 00@23 00.

STRAW—60@90 ₱ bale.

HOPS—11@17c ₱ ℔.

RYE—Good to choice, $1 20@1 25 per ctl.

Mill Products.

FLOUR—Family extra, $4 05@4 75 ₱ barrel; bakers' extra, $4 40@4 55; superfine, $4 10@4 50.

BUCKWHEAT.—Per ctl, $2 00@2 15.

BRAN—From $21 00@21 50 ₱ ton for home product.

MIDDLINGS—From $23 00@24 50 per ton.

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FEED CORNMEAL—From $23 00@24 00 ₱ ton

CRACKED CORN—From $23 00@26 00 ₱ ton

CILCAKE MEAL—At $30 00 ₱ ton from mill.

Various—Cash prices for 10-℔ sacks: Cracked Wheat, 3½c ₱ ℔; Rye Flour, 3½c; Rye Meal, 3c; Buckwheat Flour, 5c; Oatmeal, 4½@5c; Oat Groats, 5c; Hominy, 4½@4¾c; Rice Flour, 7½c; Farina, 4½c; Pearl Barley, 4½@4¾c; Split Peas, 4¾@5¼c; Rolled Oats, 5c; Buckwheat Groats, 8½c; Graham Flour, 5c.

Vegetables.

ONIONS—Silver Skins, 65c@75c ₱ ctl.

POTATOES—Per ctl. Early Rose 50@60c; River Burbanks, 40@75; Salinas Burbanks, 85@$1 00.

VARIOUS—Beets, sk, 50c@65, Garlic, 1@2½c; Cabbage, ctl, 60@80c; Cauliflower, doz, 25@40c; Turnips, 40@60c; Carrots, 35@50c; Celery, bx, 40@50c; Tomatoes, perbox, 50@$1 50; Green Peppers, ℔, 2½c; Dry Peppers, lb, 6@10c; String Beans, lb, 20c; Sweet Peas, ₱ 3½@4c; Egg Plant, 10c; Summer Squash, —; Asparagus, ₱ 4@8c; Rhubarb, bx 50c@$1 00; Cucumbers, hothouse, dox, 50c@$1; Mushrooms, 5@10c.

Fruits and Nuts.

Apples—bx, 40@$1 10; Green apples, bx 30@$1 00.

Plums—Bx, 20@75c; crate, 75@1 00.

Apricots—Bx 35@60c; crate, 50@75c.

Pears, Bx, 25c@$1.

Peaches, Bx 25@60c.

Cherries—Bx 25@50c; White, 15@25c; Royal Anne, 40@50c.

Berries—STRAWBERRIES—Per chest, Longworth, $4@6; large varities, $2@8; Raspberries, per crate, $1 50; Gooseberries, per drawer, 20@30c; Blackberries, $2 25 per crate

Lemons—Per box: California, 50@$2 50.

Oranges, California, pr bx, new crop, Navals $1 25@2 50; Seedlings, $1 00@1 50; Grape Fruit, $2@3.

Limes—per bx, repack, $4 50@5 50.

Various—Bananas, $1@2 50 ₱ bunch; Pineapples, $1@2 ₱ dozen.

DRIED FRUITS—Peaches, fancy, 6½c; choice, 5c½; standard, 4¾c; peeled in boxes, 10½c; Pears, fancy halves, 6c; quarters, 5c; choice, 3½c; standard, 2½c. Apricots, fancy, 9c; choice 8c; standard, 6½c; prime, 5½c. Other varieties higher. Apples, evaporated, 5¾c; un dried, 2¾. Prunes, four sizes, 2½@2¾c. Plums, pitted, 4c; unpitted, 1½c. Nectarines, fancy, 5½c choice, 4½c; standard, 4c. Figs, choice white, 3c. Jobbing prices.

NUTS—Almonds, softshell, 7@8c ₱ ℔; do papershell, 9@10c; do hard, 2@3c; Walnuts, California softshell, 9@10½c; do hard, 7@8c; do Chile, 11@13c; Brazil, 8@10c; Filberts, 10@11c Polished Pecans, 10c; Pinenuts, 10c; Eastern Peanuts, —@—c; do California, nominal; Cocoanuts, $5@5 50 ₱ 100.

Butter, Cheese and Honey.

BUTTER—Fancy Creamery, ₱ ℔, 20c@21½. Creamery, second, 18@20c, Imitation Creamery, —@17c; Fancy Dairy, 17@18c; choice 15@16c; fair to good, 14@—c; pickled, roll or square, —@—c; Creamery, in brine, 22@23c; firkin, 20c; Creamery, in tubs, 20@22c.

CHEESE—California, 9@11c ₱ ℔; Young America, 12@13c; New York Cream, 12@14c.

HONEY—New crop: Comb, 9@10c ₱ ℔; water white, extracted, 3½@5c; amber, 4@4½c.

BEESWAX—From 23@25c ₱ ℔.

Poultry and Eggs.

POULTRY—Hens, $3 00@4 00 ₱ dozen; Broilers, $3 50@4 50 for small and $5 00@5 50 for large; Roosters, $3 50@ 00 for old and $4 50@6 00 for young; Geese, 1 25@$1 50 a pair; Ducks $3 50@6 00 ₱ dozen; Pigeons, $1 50@1 75 Turkeys, alive, 11@12c ₱ ℔; dressed, 13@16c.

EGGS—Per doz, California ranch, selected fancy, 21@—c; choice, 19@20c; California Store choice, 13@16c; common, —@—c; Duck Eggs 15c.

GAME—Per doz, Brant, 75c@$1; Gray Geese, $1 50@1 75; White Geese, 50; Hare, 35; Rabbits, $1 25@1 25.

Fresh Meats.

Beef, Steers, first quality, 6@6½c; Cows and Heifers, 5@5½c.

Veal—Large, 6@6½c; small, 6½@7½c.

Mutton—Wethers, 6½@7c; Ewes, 6@6½c.

Lamb—Sucking, 7@8c.

Pork—Dressed, 5@5½c.

AT PORTO RICO

EVERYTHING GOING FINE WITH THE AMERICAN INVADERS.

The City of Ponce Promptly Surrenders—The Inhabitants Welcome the American Troops—Spanish Soldiers Offer Practically no Resistance.

WASHINGTON, July 26.—The war department at 11:30 p. m. posted the following:

"ST. THOMAS, July 26.—9:30 p. m.—Secretary of War, Washington: Circumstances were such that I deemed it advisable to take the harbor of Guanica first, 15 miles west of Ponce, which was successfully accomplished between daylight and 11 o'clock. The Spaniards were surprised. The Gloucester, Commander Wainwright, first entered the harbor; met with slight resistance; fired a few shots.

"All the transports are now in the harbor and infantry and artillery rapidly going ashore. This is a well-protected harbor. The water is sufficiently deep for all transports and heavy vessels to anchor within 200 yard of the shore. The Spanish flag was lowered and the American flag raised at 11 o'clock today. Captain Higginson, with his fleet, has rendered able and earnest assistance. The troops are in good health and the best of spirits. No casualties.

"MILES,
"Major-General Commanding Army."

PORT PONCE (Porto Rico), July 28.—Secretary of War, Washington: In the 26th, Captain Edward J. Gibson, Company A, was wounded in the left hip; Captain J. H. Prior, Company L, slightly wounded in the hand; Private James Drummond, Company K, two wounds in the neck, and Private Benjamin F. Bosby, Company L, slight wound in the right arm; all of the Sixth Massachusetts. All are doing well. The Spanish retreat from this place was precipitous, they leaving their rifles and ammunition in their barracks, and forty or fifty sick in the hospital. The people are enjoying a holiday in honor of our arrival.

MILES.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—The War Department has received the following dispatches from General Miles:

PORT PONCE (Porto Rico), via St. Thomas, July 29.—Secretary of War, Washington: On the 26th General Garretson had a spirited engagement on the skirmish line. Our casualties were four wounded, all doing well. The Spanish loss was three killed and 13 wounded. Yauco was occupied yesterday. Henry's division is there today. Last evening Commander Davis of the Dixie moved into this port, followed by Captain Higginson with his fleet early this morning. General Wilson, with Ernst's brigade, is now rapidly disembarking. The Spanish troops are now retreating from the southern part of Porto Rico.

Ponce and the port have a population 50,000 and are now under the American flag with wild enthusiasm. The Navy has several prizes, also 70 lighters. Railway stock partly destroyed is now restored. Telegraphic communication is also being restored. Cable instruments have been destroyed. I have sent to Jamaica for others. This is a prosperous and beautiful country. The army will soon be in the mountain regions. I anticipate no insurmountable obstacle in the future. The results thus far have been accomplished without the loss of a single life.

NELSON A. MILES.
Major-General.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—The navy department today received the following cable:

ST. THOMAS, July 29.—(United States steamer Massachusetts, Ponce, Porto Rico July 28.)—Commander Davis with Dixie, Annapolis, Wasp and Gloucester, left Guanica July 27 to blockade Ponce and capture lighters for the United States army. The city of Ponce and Playa surrendered to Commander Davis upon demand at 12:30 a. m., July 28. The American flag was hoisted at six a. m., the 28th. The Spanish garrison evacuated. Provisions of the articles of surrender upon occupation by the army are:

First, garrison to be allowed to retire; second, a civil government to remain in force; third, police and fire brigade to be maintained without arms; fourth, captain of the port not to be made prisoner.

Arrived at Ponco from Guanica with Massachusetts and Cincinnati, General Miles and General Wilson and transports at 6:40 a. m. on the 28th. Commenced landing the army in captured sugar lighters. There was no resistance. The troops were welcomed by the inhabitants amid great enthusiasm. We captured 60 lighters, 20 sailing vessels and 120 tons of coal.

HIGGINSON.

It is a marvel how some men will risk their lives by sheer neglect. They sleep away entirely oblivious of the danger creeping upon them. Men can hardly be made to realize that a little sputtering spark of disease which might be stamped out in an instant may mean death if it is allowed to keep on. Dyspepsia, constipation and liver complaint seem like trifling matters but they will eventually wreck the constitution as surely as a spark will blow up a keg of powder.

If your health is not strong and vigorous it is a simple and sensible thing to write to Dr. R. V. Pierce, chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, of Buffalo, N. Y., and obtain from him and his staff of eminent specialists, without charge, professional advice which will enable you to put your constitution on a solid basis of health and strength forthwith, before these ailments have a chance to reduce you to a physical wreck.

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The most difficult diseases to cure are those which are aggravated by constipation. In such cases Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets should be taken in conjunction with the "Discovery." They never gripe. All good dealers sell them.

Intanta Maria Floated.

WASHINGTON, July 30.—The Navy Department has posted the following notice from Admiral Sampson:

"PLAYA, July 29.—The Infanta Maria Teresa, upon which the wreckers are now engaged, will be floated and brought to Guantanamo as soon as a small leak is located. It is somewhere in the bow of the ship. Whether this leak is due to a small valve being left open, or to a hole which may have been made in the bow, is not yet known. Her own pumps are being used to remove the water, there being steam in one of her boilers.

SAMPSON."

SPAIN FOR PEACE

INSTRUCTS THE FRENCH MINISTER TO GET OUR TERMS.

The Cabinet Discuss the Situation and Agree Upon Terms—Porto Rico to Be Ours—Cuba to Be Recognized as Independent.

The following official statement was given out at Washington last week: "The French embassador, in behalf of the government of Spain, and by direction of the Spanish minister for foreign affairs, presented to the president at the White House a message from the Spanish government looking to the termination of the war and the settlement of terms of peace."

WASHINGTON.—The cabinet discussed the president's answer to Spain's peace proposal and reached the following decision:

The absolute surrender of Porto Rico to the United States.

Recognition of the independence of Cuba.

Cession of one of the Ladrone islands as a coaling station and the cession to the United States of at least a coaling station in the Philippines.

The question undecided is what disposition will be made of the Philippines as a whole. It can be stated that there is practically no difference of opinion in the cabinet on this, all the members being opposed to our acquisition as a whole.

There has been no decision as yet on the extent to which the government will go in its decision respecting the future of the group, but it is probable that the answer of the president will express a willingness to leave the matter of the future gsvernment of the Philippines entirely in the hands of a joint committee to be appointed by this government and the government of Spain. The probability is that the United States will insist upon a guarantee of certain reforms in government in the Philippines.

Our answer will make no mention of the money indemnity. Neither will there be any armistic at all. The answer will be in the nature of an ultimatum, and if Spain does not accept it she will fare worse in the future.

The note from Spain, it is said, was a very adroit and equivocal document, implying that the only question involved was Cuba. Apparently Spain might not really have intended getting a direct answer from us, but only to open diplomatic correspondence. This government will not have any such correspondence, but will make a straighforward statement of its present peace terms for Spain's acceptance or rejection, naming conditions that, under the circumstances, are reasonable and even generous.

The cabinet also decided that Spanish sovereignty in the entire Caribbean and West Indies must be utterly removed. This means that not only must Porto Rico and Cuba be relinquished, but that the Spanish flag must be taken down on every one of the numerous small islands in the hemisphere. This is in accord with a sentiment that has been growing for some weeks. Two other propositions also were disposed of. The indebtedness assumed by Spain and charged against both the island of Cuba and Porto Rico will not be assumed by this government, and, moreover, commercial treaties now existing between these islands and other portions of Spanish domain will be invalidated by the transfer of authority, the cabinet having decided not to recognize them.

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NOTES FROM MANILA.

Late News From the Seat of Trouble in the Philippines.

WASHINGTON, July 30.—A dispitch received from Admiral Dewey announces that Aguinaldo has assumed a bold attitude of defiance and that it will take a large force from this country to subdue the insurgents.

WASHINGTON.—The following has been received at the war department:

"Hongkong, July 30.—Admiral-General, Washington:

"Cavite, July 25.—Arrived today about 12. Health of commands good. Remainder of fleet about four days in the rear. All troops assigned me will probably be needed. MERRITT,
"Major-General Commanding."

(General Merritt's expedition included the Transports Ohio, City of Para, Indiana, and Morgan City, which left here June 27th, carrying 3600 officers and men, under Brigadier-General McArthur; the steamer Valencia, which sailed on June 28th, with 600 men, and the flagship Newport, which sailed on June 29th, with 800 men, under the immediate command of General Merritt. Altogether there were 5000 officers and men in the third party. The first expedition carried 2501 men, and the second carried 3515, so that General Merritt now has under his command 11,016 men.)

The navy department also made public the following:

"Cavite, July 25.—Secretary of the Navy: Merritt arrived yesterday on the Newport. The remainder of the expedition is expected within the next few days."

Spanish Knights Looted by the Irish.

The Century has an article on "The Spanish Armada," written by William Frederic Tilton. An introduction is furnished by Captain Alfred T. Mahan. Mr. Tilton says:

The huge Venetian Trinidad Valencera, having sprung a desperate leak, ran for the Irish coast, and soon found herself off O'Dogherty's country, perhaps in Lough Swilly. Part of the crew swam ashore; others huddled into an old leaky ship's boat. A native rowed out toward them, and being promised a bagful of ducats and jewels helped land those in the leaky boat, while another Irishman, bent on richer spoil and heedless of the cries for help, rowed straight for the wreck, which went down while he was looting in the hold. No sooner had the Spaniards got ashore than "wild people," and even the queen's soldiers, fell upon them, robbing them of their "money, gold buttons, rapiers and apparel" and slaughtering numbers of them in cold blood. But one of the O'Donnells came to the rescue, had a great fire built for some of the officers and seemed to "pity their case, especially O'Donnell's wife."

One of these officers tells how he was lodged in the cabin of a fellow who sold ale and aqua vitæ and was ruffling it in a stolen "red cloak with buttons of gold." In the night he robbed his guest of 200 ducats, and the officer heard him "beat out barrels' heads and fill them with plate, money and jewels." The Spaniards, having saved no provisions, were forced to buy a few wretched horses, "which they killed and did eat, and some small quantity of butter that the common people brought also to sell."

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5:15 am 1:00 pm	2:05 pm	Glen Ellen Sonoma and Intermediates	1:15 p m	12.30pm 8:35 pm
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